

CERTIFIED EVALUATION & MANAGEMENT AUDITOR IN ORTHOPEDICS (CEMA-O)

Worried about practice compliance? Want to have someone on your staff that is trained and certified to provide orthopedic certified auditing? This 1-day conference will provide you with the education you need to take the online test and become a CEMA-O.

Your Coding and/or Auditing Staff can earn their CEMA-O which will allow you to demonstrate your organization's commitment to compliance.

Orthopedic practices will continue to be at significant risk for audit refunds based on recent OIG reports and CMS focused audits initiated and conducted by Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs). CMS is not your only risk, commercial payors are also aggressively focused on audits and recoupment.

BENEFITS OF HAVING AN ORTHOPEDIC CERTIFIED AUDITOR ON STAFF:

- Mitigate risk tied to up-coding or selection of wrong category of CPT codes
- Ensure Compliance with Federal and Commercial Payor Guidelines to avoid unnecessary scrutiny
- Maximization of reimbursement through complete and accurate coding
- Maintain compliance with your existing OIG Compliance Plan
- Avoid potential whistleblower claims

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DATE

April 16, 2020

TIME

8:00 am – 4:00 pm

LOCATION

Orthopedic Associates of Dutchess County,
1910 South Road, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601

COST

NYS Bones Sponsored Event.
(Seating limited – reserve your space today)

TRAINER

**Pam Vanderbilt, CPC, CPMA, CPPM,
CPC-I, CEMC, CEMA, CEMA-O**
Senior Compliance Consultant
Doctors Management

CERTIFICATION

Online Test
Information will be provided at conference

HOTEL INFORMATION

Go to www.nysbones.org
for travel/hotel information.

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!